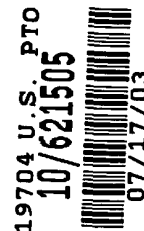


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Enclosed are:

- (X) 35 pages of specification, including 15 claims and an abstract.
- (X) Preliminary Amendment.
- (X) 8 sheet(s) of formal drawings(s).
- (X) Petition to Approve Color Photographs for Drawings with 3 sets of photographs.
- (X) Check in the amount of \$130.00 for petition fee.
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- (X) Claim for Priority and Priority Document.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Filed

a) Basic Fee						\$ 750.00
b) Independent Claims	<u>5</u>	-	3	=	<u>2</u>	x \$ 84.00 = \$ <u>168.00</u>
c) Total Claims	<u>15</u>	-	20	=	<u>0</u>	x \$ 18.00 = \$ <u>          </u>
d) Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims						\$ 280.00 = \$ <u>          </u>
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- (X) A check in the amount of \$ 918.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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PETITION TO APPROVE COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS FOR DRAWINGS

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Dear Sir:

Applicants request approval of color photographs for Figs. 3A, 3B and 5 of this application, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.84. The fee of \$130.00 set forth in §1.17(h) and three (3) sets of photographs are enclosed.

Fig. 3A is a photomicrograph of good alignment of Fig. 2, Fig. 3B is a photomicrograph of poor alignment of Fig. 2, and Fig. 5 is a photomicrograph of poor alignment of Fig. 4. These figures, as a practical matter, are incapable of being adequately depicted by India ink drawings. The photographs show the invention more clearly than can be depicted by India ink drawings and otherwise comply with the rules concerning such drawings.

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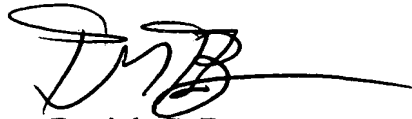
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For the foregoing reasons, Applicants request that this petition be granted,  
and that the photographs included in Figs. 3A, 3B and 5 be approved.

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